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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF

Terrance J. Troyer

SERIAL NO.: 10/067,033

FILED: February 4, 2002

FOR: Pressure Sensor With a Radially
Tensioned Metal Diaphragm

Examiner: Alandra Ellington

Art Unit No. 2855

Docket No.: 921058-910291

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

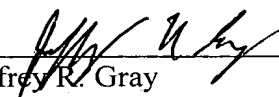
In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136, the applicant hereby petitions for an automatic extension of time of one month to respond to the Office Action of August 7, 2003. Response will therefore be timely if filed with the Patent and Trademark Office no later than December 8, 2003, as December 7 is a Sunday.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17, the required fee of \$110.00 is attached herewith.

Please charge any additional fees that may be required to our Deposit Account No. 12-0913.

Respectfully submitted,

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